CLAIM:

- (61) I claim a billiard training ball of generally spherical outer surface comprising:
 - (a) a substantially opaque inner core means, having a predetermined size, that visibly serves as an optimum target at which to aim a cue stick when addressing said billiard training ball, and
 - (b) a sufficiently transparent outer covering of a predetermined size, surrounding and encasing said inner core means, wherein said outer covering displays said inner core means and provides an outer surface circumference compliant with billiard ball standards,

whereby said billiard training ball can be used as a device to practice cueing technique when striking said billiard training ball with the cue stick directed toward said inner core means, in order to impart spin or no spin while limiting deflection to said billiard training ball.